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Federal Opportunities

Integrated, Multi-Level Interventions to Improve Adolescent Health through the Prevention of STDs/HIV and Teen Pregnancy. *The Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control* announces funding available to develop, implement and evaluate interventions to prevent STDs/HIV and pregnancy among adolescents. These interventions should be multi-level and should be integrated, interactive and synergistic. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations, government agencies, hospitals, colleges, universities and research institutes. The deadline is June 1, 2002. Approximately \$1,000,000 is available to fund up to 3 awards, ranging from \$300,000 to \$500,000 each. For information, contact Kang Lee at (770) 488-2733 or kl8@cdc.gov. Also see <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/02008.htm>.

District Opportunities

FY2002 Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program Grant.

The DC State Educational Office, Office of Postsecondary Education, Research and Assistance is soliciting applications to design a program that provides teachers with skills needed to improve the quality of instruction in mathematics and science. A total of \$330,428 in federal grant funds is available under the US Dept. of Education Title II, Part B. The Request for Application may be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA), 441 4th Street, NW, Room 400 South or from http://cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. The deadline is March 1, 2002. For information, contact ORA at 202-727-7775.

Mini-Subgrants to Small Non-Profit, Community-Based Organizations. *The DC Department of Human Services, Income Maintenance*

Administration will award grant funds to small community-based and faith-based organizations that directly assist TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) customers and other low-income families and children in the District of Columbia. Eligible organizations include small community-based organizations, faith-based organizations (churches, synagogues, mosques or religiously-based social service affiliates of such organizations), nonprofit organizations located in the District of Columbia with an annual budget of not more than \$150,000. The deadline is December 28, 2001. Multiple awards will be made of up to \$40,000 for a 120-day period. The Request for Application can be obtained from the Office of Research and Analysis (ORA), 441 4th Street, NW, Room 400 South or http://cfo.dc.gov/services/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm. For additional information, please contact ORA at 202-727-7775.

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse. *The DC Office of Partnerships and Grants Development* is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets for the following programs are currently available via http://opgd.dc.gov/info/grant/funding_grants/index.shtm

DC Public Schools

[Even Start Family Literacy Program, Round II](#)

Department of Health

[Sub-Grants for Preventive Health and Health Services](#)

Foundation Opportunities

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Programs Benefiting School-Aged Children. *The Best Buy Children's Foundation* announces funds to improve the lives of school-aged children through innovative programs that promote personal achievement through mentor relationships, development of life and leadership skills, and educational opportunities offered outside of regular classroom instruction. Only 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations are eligible. The next deadline is February 15, 2002. Awards typically range from \$2,000 to \$10,000 each. For more information, contact (952) 947-2650. Also see <http://www.bestbuy.com/about/communityrelations/childrensfoundation.asp>.

Grants to Address Poverty and Social Justice. *The Jewish Fund for Justice* supports nonprofit organizations working to alleviate the root causes of poverty and the disenfranchisement of low-income people in the United States. Grantmaking issue areas include: Economic Justice; Women in Poverty; Investing in Youth; Building Community; Assisting New Americans; and Engaging Jews in Social Justice. To be considered for funding, a program must directly involve low-income people, address the systems and policies that perpetuate poverty and operate at the community level. The deadline is December 15, 2001. Grants typically range from \$7,500 to \$20,000. For more information, contact Sara Marcus at (212) 213-2113 ext.28 or sara@jfjustice.org. Also see <http://www.jfjustice.org/services.htm>.

Resources & Announcements

Straight Talk for Uncertain Times: A Gathering for the Washington Area Nonprofit Community. *The Washington Council of Agencies* invites nonprofit executives, fundraisers, grantmakers, and policy-makers to come together and discuss the effects of September 11th, learn skills to increase capacity, and gain inspiration. The event is scheduled for Monday, December 10th at 3pm at Washington Plaza, 10 Thomas Circle, Washington, DC. Please RSVP to Phyllis Campbell Newsome at (202) 457-0540 or phyllisc@wcanonprofits.org.

Register Your Nonprofit With Guidestar. All tax-exempt nonprofit organizations are eligible to register with Guidestar, the most comprehensive database of nonprofit organizations available online. The database is in constant use by foundations, corporations and individuals to improve the effectiveness of their contributions. Go online to www.guidestar.org to register your organization. This will allow you to define your nonprofit's mission, use the classified ads, and establish an online giving program.

New Website for Nonprofit Resources. *Network for Good* announces a collaboration with AOL, helping.org and others to help nonprofit organizations increase capacity, reach new audiences, and build Internet strategies. The website address is www.networkforgood.org. An excellent listing of links related to technology funding is available at <http://www.networkforgood.org/npo/technology/answer4.html>.

SBA Disaster Loans. *Economic Disaster Loans from the US Small Business Administration (SBA)* are being made available to small business owners whose businesses were impacted by the September 11 plan crash at the Pentagon. These SBA disaster loans cover uninsured or underinsured economic losses resulting directly or indirectly from the events surrounding September 11 and are available to eligible small businesses unable to pay bills or meet operating expenses. Loan amounts may not exceed \$1.5 million and terms may run up to 30 years. Interest rates are 4%. The deadline is June 21, 2002. Loan applications and information may be obtained by calling an SBA loan officer at 800-659-2955.

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